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Trais & Stephanie – During our State conference call today, you and your staff requested some information regarding the data EPA Region 6 and 8 have collected, the EPA sampling plan and SOPs being followed for the sampling, and clarification on the cumulative sampling package for the period of August 6-11, 2015.

Though I do not have all the information you and your staff requested, I am sending you all the information I have available at this time.

Clarification on Cumulative Surface Water: All final and validated sediment data to date can be found on EPA Region 6's website here: http://www2.epa.gov/goldkingmine/gold-king-mine-data-august-19-2015. I have attached the compiled spreadsheet for surface water quality data (final and validated through 8/11). This is an update to the original version you received with the units corrected. I understand that Miranda Hodgkiss email this to the participants on the call.

Region 6 and 8 data: This is the link to the EPA website for the Gold King Mine Response. http://www2.epa.gov/goldkingmine/data-gold-king-mine-response. The data tables can be viewed at: http://www2.epa.gov/goldkingmine/data-gold-king-mine-response#datasets. Regarding the request for the Region 8 data, you can find the information under the August 10 and August 14 date. The data includes the for Surface Water from CO Border to Silverton and most in Durango Area and the sediment from August 11th, in North of Durango.

EPA Sampling Standard Operating Procedures:

ERT Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for surface water and sediment.
EPA ERT SOPs general website: http://www.epaosc.org/site/site_profile.aspx?site_id=2107
Surface water sampling SOP: http://www.epaosc.org/sites/2107/files/2013-R00.pdf
Sediment sampling SOP: http://www.epaosc.org/sites/2107/files/2016-R00.pdf
I will send you the sampling plan tomorrow. We look forward to talking with you tomorrow.
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